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In re application of:

Gerald F. Hermann, et al.

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Examiner: Lynne Renee Edmonson

Filed: June 4, 2001

For: ROBOTICALLY OPERATED LASER HEAD

Attorney Docket No.: GSIL 0189 PUSA

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Sir:

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Case Docket No. GSIL 0189 PUSA**AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL**

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Title: <b>ROBOTICALLY OPERATED LASER HEAD</b>	

To: Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

\_\_\_ Applicant has previously claimed small entity status.

The filing fee has been calculated as shown below:

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